Muslim Inspector—appointment of.

22. Mr. K. M. Kunhi Moideen (*Kattur*).—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) who supervises the teaching of Arabic in the schools of the State;

(b) what the Government has done in furtherance of the unanimous recommendation of this House for the appointment of a Muslim Inspector for supervising Arabic instruction?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (*Director of Public Instruction*).—(a) The Inspecting officers generally supervise over the entire working of the schools but no one has been specially appointed to supervise the teaching of Arabic (The same applies to the teaching of Hindi, Sanskrit, Music, etc)

(b) Government think that there is no scope for the appointment of such an Inspector.

Health Centres—particulars regarding.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan (*Wadakkancheri*).—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) the places where health centres have been started;

(b) the establishment for each one of the centres opened;

(c) whether there are not other medical institutions in the localities where health centres are opened?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon (*Director of Public Health and Panchayats*).—(a) Nemmara, Kunnamkulam and Irinjalakkuda.

(b) Vide statement appended. (*Appendix IV*).

(c) Yes.

24. Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan (*Wadakkancheri*).—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) whether they have any idea of opening up new health centres during 1113;

(b) if the answer to (a) is in the affirmative, the places where they propose to open them?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon (*Director of Public Health and Panchayats*).—(a) and (b) The health centre at Trippunittura, the

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construction of which is already over, will be opened early next year. No other health centres are proposed to be opened in 1113.

Sanitary Inspectors and Panchayat Inspectors—particulars regarding.

25. A. Eachara Menon *(Chittur Rural).*—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(1) the number of Sanitary Inspectors under the Health Director;

(2) the nature of work these Inspectors are expected to do;

(3) the number of Inspectors under the Director of Panchayats;

(4) the nature of their work;

(5) whether these two sets of Inspectors at a selected taluk have not to go to the same place for their inspection works;

(6) whether they have reduced the number of Inspectors as was thought of at the time of the amalgamation of these departments;

(7) if not, why;

(8) whether the Retrenchment Committee have suggested the reduction of the staff?

Dr. E. S. R. Menon *(Director of Public Health and Panchayats).*—(1) Twelve.

(2) Supervision of general sanitation of the localities within their respective jurisdiction, execution of sanitary works, attending to the special sanitary arrangements in connection with fairs, festivals, etc., adoption of necessary prophylactic measures in times of epidemics, collection of license fees from markets, cart-stands, etc., and also fees for Dangerous and Offensive trade from the non-municipal areas of the State, collection of scavenging fees from towns and also vaccination and its verification.

(3) Two.

(4) The Panchayat Inspectors have to inspect the Panchayat offices and courts periodically, enquire into the nomination

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VADAKKANCHERI DISPENSARY.

1 Mr. S. Vaidyanatha Sarma, L.M.P., Honorary Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

ANTHIKAD DISPENSARY.

1 Mr. Poulose A. Panikulam, L.M.P., Honorary Sub-Assistant Surgeon.

APPENDIX III.

(*Question No. 13.*)

List of Applicants of Honorary Medical Officers' places.

No.	Name.	Qualification.	For what post.
1.	M. A. Thomas	M. B. B. S.	For an Honorary Assistant Surgeon's place.
2.	U. Velayudha Menon	B. A., M. B. B. S.	do
3.	J. Ramakrishna Ayyer	L. M. S.	do
4.	M. Achyuta Panicker	B. A., M. B. B. S.	do
5.	S. Vasava Menon	M. B. B. S.	do
6.	Simon T. Paul	M. D. C. M. and L. M.	Honorary Surgeon, Maharaja's Hospital at Palluruthy.
7.	K. U. Warriar	L. M. P.	Honorary Sub-Assistant Surgeon's place.
8.	P. T. Antony	do	do
9.	M. Kunjan Menon	do	do
10.	K. Madhava Menon	do	do

N. B.—Not appointed for want of vacancies.

APPENDIX IV.

(*Question No. 23.*)

Name of centre	No. of medical officers	No. of health visitors	No. of compounders	No. of female servants	Watchmen
Nemmara	1	2	...	1	1
Kunnamkulam	1	3	1 (Honorary)	1	1
Irinjalakkuda	1	3	1 (do)	1	1

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